

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE
TRAINING SUE OF THE TOWN OF LADYSMITH

REVISED AGENDA

Monday, March 26, 2018

7:00 P.M.

Council Chambers, City Hall

Pages

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. CLOSED SESSION

Recommendation

That, in accordance with section 90(1) of the *Community Charter*, Council retire into closed session at _____ in order to consider items related to the following:

3. REGULAR MEETING

4. AGENDA APPROVAL

Recommendation

That Council approve the agenda for this Regular Meeting of Council for _____ as amended by the following:

5. RISE AND REPORT- Items from Closed Session

6. MINUTES

6.1 Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held March 5, 2018

Recommendation

That Council approve the minutes of the March 5, 2018 Council meeting.

6.2 Minutes of the Special Meeting of Council held

7. DELEGATIONS

Recommendation

That Council Support the ban of single use checkout bags in the Town of Ladysmith.

7.1 My Item

7.2 Single Use Checkout Bag

Presentation by Kirily Park.

8. PROCLAMATIONS

9. DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS

9.1 Type of Development Application – Address (Applicant)

Recommendation

Staff Recommendation:

That Council direct staff to

9.2 Development Permit Application 3060-18-06

10. BYLAWS- OFFICIAL COMMUNITY PLANNING AND ZONING

10.1 Name of OCP or Zoning Bylaw

Recommendation

Staff Recommendation:

That Council direct staff to

11. BUDGET

12. REPORTS

13. BYLAWS

13.1 Name of Bylaw

The purpose of Bylaw _____ is to ...

14. NEW BUSINESS

14.1 Louis Riel Day

Recommendation

That Council direct staff to prepare a report on past practices in regards to celebrating Louis Riel Day.

14.2 Presentation by Ladysmith Arts Council

***14.3 Late Item**

***14.4 Late item**

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15. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

16. QUESTION PERIOD

- A maximum of 15 minutes is allotted for questions.
- Persons wishing to address Council during “Question Period” must be Town of Ladysmith residents, non-resident property owners, or operators of a business.
- Individuals must state their name and address for identification purposes.
- Questions put forth must be on topics which are not normally dealt with by Town staff as a matter of routine.
- Questions must be brief and to the point.
- Questions shall be addressed through the Chair and answers given likewise. Debates with or by individual Council members or staff members are not allowed.
- No commitments shall be made by the Chair in replying to a question. Matters which may require action of the Council shall be referred to a future meeting of the Council.

17. ADJOURNMENT

Recommendation

That this regular meeting of council adjourn at

Comments

- North Oyster/farmers representation on round table
- Productive land for food production – needs water!
- Is Ladysmith using groundwater supply – assure Area H. (1995 report)
- Record and report group – citizen groups – keep access to the watershed for citizens – Share & Protect
- Holland Lake = Company Dam
 - Center of dam as a result of needing safe place to store lunches
- Heart Lake dual system
- Percent ownership question
- Fundraisers – watch where your money comes from
- What money is going to be spent on watershed?
 - Taxes – not the answer
- Area G
 - Shared water supply – Stocking Lake
 - Appreciate spirit of collaboration
 - Concerns about long-term water
- Concept of having round table to paint broad picture – what’s on the horizon? What are future concerns? Population growth, ways to better utilize water, health related aspects, supply, storage for now and future – strategic planning. Best utilization of precious resource.
- Good opportunity for cross-jurisdictional co-operation – FN/RDN/CVRD on aquifer
- Yellowpoint watershed meeting – May 26, 2015
- Watersheds – work together, get past obstacles
- Concern about Water Sustainability Act
- Groundwater concerns (Cassidy) – trucking in water, saline well water; work with neighbours please!
- Nanaimo River event – Wednesday, May 27, 2015
- 2017 – bring country together
- Current water supply – capacity for 12,000
 - Not in a big rush to build
 - Commend round table
 - forestry –
- Forestry - when we do a management plan, we must manage water or we won’t be there!
- TimberWest – co-management of resource – must respect water!
 - Timber, jobs, recreation, wildlife
 - Very open to questions
- Saltwater intrusion, well quality. Develop monitorium in North Cedar improvement still in place.
- Hot, dry summers, mild winters, issues – no snow pack. Roundtables good place to discuss common issues with orther jurisdictions as well.

- North Oyster/Diamond – spirituality – what does the word sustainability mean? – the ability to sustain
 - Farm – divided up into SFD?
 - Ladysmith supply Diamond water?
 - Growth has to stop || slow down!
 - Climate change
- Understanding watershed and topography; recommend looking at model at back of room!
- Lobbying Provincial Government to give more control over our watersheds
- Concern about access for all recreational purposes – horses, bikes, walkers – we are out there & are happy to help out in watershed management